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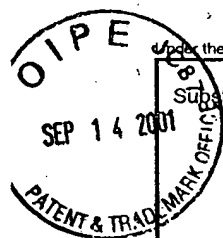
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1. Claims 1-12 are objected to and the following should be done for clarity, accuracy and/or completeness:

In claim 1, line 18, the "comma" should be replaced by the following: -and an elongated movable bridge member having a hoist for suspending said load over the floor, said bridge member having ^{trucks} ~~tracks~~ mounted on opposed ends thereof, said ^{trucks} ~~tracks~~ being respectively mounted for movement in said third and fourth tracks-.

In claims 8 and 9, respectively, "4" (line 1 of claim 9) and "6" (line 1 of claim 9) should be separated from "Claim".

Dependent claims 2-12 should be reviewed (and amended, if necessary) in light of the suggested changes to base claim 1.

The claims are otherwise directed to allowable subject matter.

2. The prior art made of record and not relied upon is considered pertinent to applicant's disclosure..

3. Any inquiry concerning this communication should be directed to Frank Werner at telephone number 703-308-1140.

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